

Remarks

Reconsideration and continued examination of the application is respectfully requested.

CORRESPONDENCE OF OFFICE TO WHICH THIS PAPER RESPONDS:

Applicant submits this paper in response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment issued on June 2, 2005. The deadline (extendible) is set at one month, which date fell on a Saturday, and this paper is filed on the first business day for the office following that day, and is therefore timely.

COMPLETE CLAIMS LISTING ENCLOSED (WITH WITHDRAWN CLAIM TEXT):

Applicant resubmits the Claims Listing section, which in the prior submission by the Applicant dated May 24, 2005, did not include the full text of the withdrawn claims. The Claims Listing section included herewith includes such full text. Applicant thanks the Office for noting and instructing correction of this oversight.

INVITATION TO CONSIDER REDESIGNATION OF APPLICATION AS "CONTINUATION"

In preparing the new Claims Listing enclosed herewith, Applicant notes that the remaining claim is Claim 2, Claims 1 and 3 having been withdrawn. Applicant invites the Examiner to consider whether the Office desires to redesignate this application (now designated as a "Divisional") as a "Continuation." On the date of filing, the cross reference to the parent application in paragraph [0001] (and possibly other filing documents) referred to the application as a Divisional, but Applicant recognizes that Office materials acknowledge the possibility of redesignation (See, e.g., MPEP 201.06(c)(ix) (referring to redesignation of a continuation or divisional to be a continuation in part), and that the redesignation may be within the Office's discretion (See Official Gazette 5 Sept. 2000, ("The expressions 'continuation,' 'divisional,' and 'continuation-in-part' are merely terms used for administrative convenience.")(available at <http://www.uspto.gov/web/offices/com/sol/og/2000/week36/patdept.htm>). Applicant

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notes that no restriction requirement was levied in the parent application, and requests the Examiner consider whether a terminal disclaimer is required.

Fees

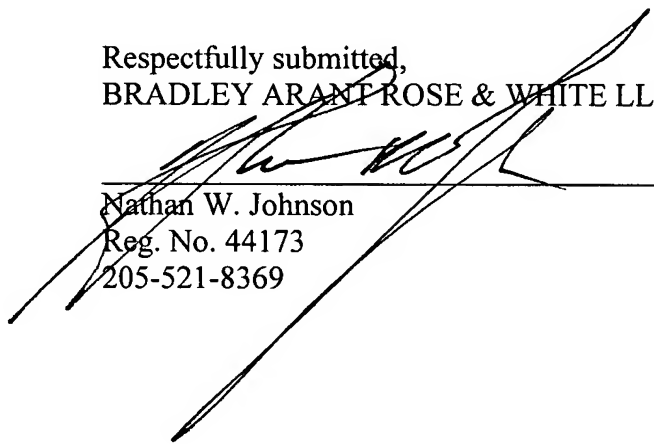
This response is timely and no fees or extensions are required.

Applicant has diligently sought to comply with all requirements and to correct all informalities and objections. The Application is believed to be in condition for allowance, and a timely Notice of Allowance is respectfully requested.

Date

7-5-05

Respectfully submitted,
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